

**MARKET REPORT.**

CORRECTED EVERY WEDNESDAY.  
The grain markets are taken from the Chambersburg daily newspapers. The provision prices are those that obtain in McConnellsburg.

**GRAIN**

Wheat.....	1.08
New wheat.....	—
Bran.....	1.40
Corn.....	70
Oats.....	50
Rye.....	75

**PROVISIONS**

Ham per lb.....	15
Shoulder.....	14
Bacon, Sides per lb.....	12
Potatoes, per bushel.....	1.15
Butter, Creamery.....	31
Butter, Country.....	25
Eggs, per dozen.....	15
Lard, per lb.....	10
Live Calves, per lb.....	9
Chickens, per lb.....	14

Rose Daniels spent last Sunday with her mother, Mrs. H. B. Trout, in the hospital in Chambersburg.

Misses Maudeline Stevens, Dorothy Hamil and Jean Johnston, students at the Shippensburg Normal, spent their Easter vacation in the homes of their respective parents.

**HIDES.**—Frank B. Sipes pays the highest market price for beef hides at their butcher shop in McConnellsburg, also highest price paid for calf skins, sheepskins and tallow.

**Advertisement.**

Miss Nellie Totts, Chief Operator of the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania in Chambersburg, accompanied by Operator Miss Hester Keefer also of Chambersburg, were guests in the home of Mrs. Grace Bender our local operator on Friday of last week.

Robert W. Cutchall has moved from the Mrs. D. A. Nelson farm to the Thomas F. Sloan farm, and Ahimaa Clevenger, who had been on the Sloan farm several years, moved to McConnellsburg into the brick house on West Market street recently purchased from Hon. D. A. Nelson.

Last Saturday a number of Stella Horton's friends surprised that young lady by assembling at her home at Wells Tannery and celebrating her 13th birthday. Nice refreshments were served, the young folks had a jolly time, and Stella was the recipient of many gifts for which she is very grateful.

A. B. Ross, of Schellsburg and Bedford, who has been connected with the Department of Agriculture as a special agent for several years, has resigned that position and has been elected secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at Huntingdon and will enter upon his duties there in the near future.

Oscar Quax and family have moved from Big Cove Tannery into the tenant house on the Jang H. Kendall farm. Cyrus Wenger is moving from his farm in Todd township (the George Snyder farm) to the Conrad Glazier (Newt Hoke) farm in Ayr, and Dale Garland, who has been on the Glazier farm, goes on Cyrus's farm.

After having spent two years as tenant on the Brookside farm in the Cove, Mr. R. Y. Schooley and family are moving to the Vallance farm east of Harrisonville which Richard lately purchased from the estate of his deceased father, I. W. Schooley. Richard's brother Charles is going into the house on the Patterson farm vacated by Richard.

**Wanted, For Sale, For Rent, Lost, Found, Etc.**

**RATES**—One cent per word for each insertion. No advertisement accepted for less than 15 cents. Cash must accompany order.

**CORN** for sale. Inquire of Rev J. L. Grove, McConnellsburg. 3t

**FOR SALE**, Seed Oats, an improved variety and first class. M. M. Kendall, Ayr township. 23 3t

**CLOVER SEED**.—Frank B. Sipes has for sale at his packing house on First street prime clover seed.

**THOROUGHBRED Buff Orping**—Eggs for hatching at 75 cents a setting of fifteen. Eggs furnished on short notice. H. U. Nace, McConnellsburg, Pa. 39 4t

**Baker & Bros.**, Real Estate, Insurance, Automobiles, Live, Stock &c. Write us your desires First National Bank Building, Everett, Pa. Loans arranged for.

**FOR SALE**—2 Mares; one will weigh about 1050; the other 1100; both 5 years old this spring. One with foal; both good workers and fearless. Jonas Mellott, Huston town, Pa. 1t.

**FOR SALE**.—Farm containing 46 acres, 5 acres timber, balance in good state of cultivation, situated near the Lincoln Highway, 2 1/2 miles west of McConnellsburg. All necessary farm buildings. Price right to quick buyer. For further information, call on or address Geo. E. Garner, or C. J. Brewer, McConnellsburg, Pa. 1t

**Surprise Party.**

Last Friday evening, as Miss Emma Bradnick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Bradnick, of Dublin township, was about to make a call on a neighbor, she heard a noise outside, and, on investigation, found about forty of her friends and neighbors at the front door. It then dawned on her that it was her seventeenth birthday.

The evening was very pleasantly spent in games and music—both vocal and instrumental. Mr. John Martz favored the company with many fine selections on his gramophone.

At the close of the evening elegant refreshments were served, such as Mr. and Mrs. Bradnick's hospitable home is noted for. Miss Emma received a number of useful, as well as beautiful, presents.

Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. George Glunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Bradnick, Mrs. George Bradnick, John Martz, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Helman, Mrs. Mary Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. William Hamil, Mrs. James Aller, Velma and Alma Glunt, Cecil and Olive Foster, Lottie Bradnick, Ethel Martz, Ruth Campbell, Ada Cunningham, Emma Bradnick, Lucile, Huldah and Vera Shadle; Irene, Bessie and Alma Aller; Park and John Foster, Russel and Richard Martz, Norman Helman, John and Lewis Cunningham, Kessler Cooper, Frank, Paul, Clarence and Ivan Hamil, Brice Aller and Frank Bradnick.

**Card of Thanks.**

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fagley, Big Cove Tannery, wish to express their gratitude to the kind friends who lent sympathy and aid during the illness and death of their little daughter Rheumema.

**APRIL FIRST.**

A great many financial transactions will take place about the First of April; and if you need any assistance in arranging your business, do not hesitate to ask us. Our services is yours for the asking.

We have every convenience, where you can transact your business in private.

We pay 3 per cent. interest compounded every six months, on all Certificates and Saving Accounts.

**FULTON COUNTY BANK,**  
McConnellsburg, Pa.

**SHAPIRO BROTHERS**

LARGEST COMPLETE DEPT. STORE  
ORBISONIA, PENN'A.

**BIG SENSATIONAL PROFIT SHARINGS**  
THROUGHOUT THIS VAST STORE.

Prices are gradually soaring on all lines of goods.

**NOT SO WITH US.**

Our large purchasing power enabled us to buy when the factories had not yet advanced. You can get a better assortment here than elsewhere and in every instance a positive saving.

**Ladies' and Misses' Ready-to-Wear Clothing Dept.!**

Spring Coats of the best selling models are daily arriving in the newest patterns and shapes. Prices from \$3.98 up

**See our big new line of SKIRTS**

In Serges, Garberdines, etc., made to fit and wear well.

Biggest line of fancy and staple dry goods and

**DRESS GOODS**

12c outings	9c	\$1.25 fancy dress
15c percales	12c	goods 90c
12c gingham	8 1/2c	Beautiful silks and
39c damask	24c	trimmings at big
69c serges	58c	savings.

**MEN'S**

\$1.50 men's pants	99c
59c men's underwear	42c
Best good work shirts	45c

**FURNISHINGS**

Every Sweater Greatly Reduced

**LADIES'**

30c corset covers	25c
\$1.25 wool undershirts	90c
59c muslin gowns	45c

**Hardware and Household Goods**

with the coming of Spring you will want Garden tools, wire etc. Save money here.

Paints—at the old price every can guaranteed.

**Furniture—Wallpaper and Lace Curtains**

Our line is bigger than ever. Better Assortments at lower prices than elsewhere. Wall Paper 5c per roll up. Lace Curtains at 49c pair & up

**SAVE MONEY IN OUR GROCERY DEPARTMENT.**

Powdered Sulphur or Epsom Salts 7 lb for 25c	Tal Cans Salmon 9c Canned Peas 9c	Best grade 1 1/2 lb loose coffee 7 lb. for \$1.00 7 bars of Octagon Soap 25c	10c Extracts 7c 50c Swamp Roots 39c
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**SALT SPECIALS**—56 lbs., 32c; 100 lbs., 58c; 125 lbs., 65c. Bring your produce here, and get better prices for same.

Watch our announcement of the Big Spring Opening and Merchandise disposal Sale!

**SHAPIRO BROS. BIGGEST BECAUSE ORBISONIA, PA. BEST STORE!**

**State Agricultural Notes.**

Reports from crop correspondents of the Department of Agriculture show that the condition of the wheat in the south western counties is the best in the State. Washington, Westmoreland and Somerset counties report wheat above normal condition and Fayette county wheat is above the average. The Greene and Bedford county wheat is only slightly below average.

How many bushels of corn must you raise on your land in order to pay six per cent. on the money you have invested? Experts have answered this question as follows: A yield of 36 bushels to an acre on \$50 land; 42 bushels per acre on \$100 land; 60 bushels per acre on \$50 land and 72 bushels per acre on land valued at \$375 per acre.

The counties in which commercial fertilizers are used most extensively in Pennsylvania are; Carbon, Chester, Columbia, Delaware, Franklin, Lehigh, Northampton, Philadelphia, and York.

Statistics of the Department of Agriculture show that there are fifty per cent. less farmers in the State fattening steers for spring market than a year ago. Only five per cent. of the farmers of the State are feeding for the spring market.

Westmoreland county ranks first in the number of pure bred stallions in the State and Tioga county has the largest number of pure bred bulls.

Statistics of the Department of Agriculture show seventy-eight per cent. of the farmers of the State using commercial fertilizers. This is a ten per cent decrease over a year ago and is probably due to the increased cost of fertilizers, lack of potash, home mixing and an increased use of lime.

**Richard W. Williamson**

Of Huntingdon county, Candidate for the Republican nomination

**For Congress**

Solicits your vote and influence

Primaries May 16

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Promises that if elected the Seeds, Fish, Bulletins, and so on will continue to be distributed with the same regularity and abundance. They are yours and you will get them. Focht has had enough.

**Racket Store**

We want to quote you some prices for this month That we think is a bargain.

4 sure catch mouse traps	5c	Warner corset, the kind that fit and wear	50c to \$1.25
2 boxes hold fast shoe nails	5c	Single tree clips, heavy	18c
3 boxes carpet tacks	5c	Canvas gloves 3 pair for 25c	—
4 doz. clothes pins	5c	Also one at 5c pair	—
Machine thread	4c	Pure neat's foot oil	75c gal
Safety pins 2, 3 and 4c doz	4c	6 envelopes	1c
13 inch horse rasps	20c	See our letter tablets and box paper	10 to 25c
15 inch horse rasps	25c	Alarm clocks	58 and 75c
4 1/4 and 5 inch taper saw file	4c	8 day alarm clocks	\$1.75 and \$1.98
5 1/4, 6 and 7 in. taper saw file	5c	7 cakes Lenox soap	25c
6 in. flat mill files	8c	Stove pipe	10c joint
8 in. flat mill files	9c	Men's dress shirts	48 to 95c
10 in. flat mill files	12c	Rolling pins	10c
10 in. rattal files	12c	Cross-cut saw handles	13c pr
10 in. half round files	12c	Long spring for screen doors	3c
12 in. half round files	15c	Boston heel plates	5c doz
100 hog rings	5c	Cow chains	10 and 16c
1 pair hog wringers	8c	Bolts 1 1/2 in. to 7 in.	1c
Rubber cement	10c	Lanoleum	65 to 90c yd
26 in. hand saws 50, 75 and \$1.25	—	Lanoleum remnants	30c
22 short U M C cartridges	13c	500 best matches	4c
Flax seed meal, pure	7c	Man and Kelly axes	65c
10 qt. flaring pail	9c	are worth 90c to day. Don't let anyone make you believe that Mann puts his name on second quality axes, as long as we have our present stock you can buy them at 65 cents.	—
Nest eggs	1c	Champion axes	45c
25 needles	1c	Adjustable hames	75c
14 rows pins	1c	Say if you want a set of buggy harness, harness bridles, work bridles, lead harness, and collars, hitching straps, backing straps, trace chains, we can save you lots of money. We sell lots of these goods and try to treat you right. No hoggish profits. A good team collar \$1.10, \$1.90, \$2.50 and \$3.25	—
39 in. men's work shirts, the largest shirt made	45c	Suit cases.	95c
3-in-1 oil	8c	Cotton	10 and 40c ba.
Umbrellas	45c to \$1.00	—	—
Bachelor manure forks	55c	—	—
Table oil cloth	15c yd	—	—
Coal oil	11c gal	—	—
3 pair good socks	25c	—	—
Lagus rib top hose	10c	—	—
Silkateen	4c	—	—
Stains with varnish in them all colors, 1 pt. cans	25c	—	—
Pad locks	10 to 25c	—	—
Rim knob locks	20c	—	—
Horse shoe nails	12c	—	—
Horse shoe hammers	23c	—	—
Horse shoe pinners	50c to \$1.25	—	—
Felt window shades	8c	—	—
Oil shades	23c	—	—
Shoe strings	1c pair	—	—

Say, we just bought from a manufacturer 5 gross of home-made open links that we can sell at 1c each.

If you are going to build a house or a barn, or do any repairing we are in shape to save you some money, as we bought our hardware early, and always try and give our customers the benefit.

Look over this list of prices, compare them with catalogue houses and we think that you will find that we can save you money. It is impossible to get space to price you every thing, but watch this space for bargains. Thanking you for the nicest year we have ever had. The prices we quote here are not baits but our regular prices. Trusting that you will look over this, and if you find us right on prices, give us some of your business; if not, buy where you can do the best.

Respectfully,

**HULL & BENDER,**

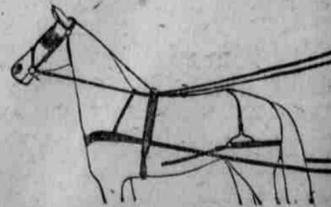
**SMITH BROTHERS**  
Mercersburg, Pa.

**Farm Goods—Used Every Day.**

We have the largest stock of Harness, Gears and Collars, in southern Pennsylvania.

Single Driving Harness from \$10 to \$25. Double Driving Harness for \$20 and upwards. Yankee Bridles \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, and \$2.50. Halters all leather at 50 cents, 75 cents, \$1.00 and \$1.25. Collars \$1.25 to \$4.25. Collar Pads 25, 35, and 50 cents. Yankee Front Gears \$15 per pair. Yankee Breeching \$18 to \$20 per pair. Plow Gears \$3.50 to \$4.25 per pair. Riding Saddles from \$5 to \$13. Wagon Saddles from \$9.50 to \$12. Russet leather Riding Bridles from \$1.25 to \$2.50. Cow chains, Halter chains, Chin Chains, Trace Chains, Harness oils 60, 75 and 90 cents a gallon. Caster Machine Oil 40 cents a gallon.

Repairing of all kinds promptly and neatly executed. All goods sold at lowest possible Prices.



**There is a Real Difference**

Cream of tartar, derived from grapes, is used in Royal Baking Powder because it is the best and most healthful ingredient known for the purpose.

Phosphate and alum, which are derived from mineral sources, are used in some baking powders, instead of cream of tartar, because they are cheaper.

If you have been induced to use baking powders made from alum or phosphate, use Royal Baking Powder instead. You will be pleased with the results and the difference in the quality of the food.

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New York